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Pursuant to our telephone conversation today, we attached herewith a copy of the PTOL-85 Form that was filed with the USPTO on January 13, 2005.

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Sincerely,

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